



Notable Crimes Report

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The Notable Crimes Report is a weekly bulletin with some of the noteworthy crimes that occurred in Ramsey County for the given week. The purpose of this bulletin is to educate the community on crime trends and provide insight to the types of situations that law enforcement faces on a daily basis.

Terroristic Threats with a Weapon

Date and Time: March 13, 2021 at 6:30 pm

Location: 3000 block of White Bear Avenue North

Police responded to a 9-1-1 call for a male acting aggressively while being armed with a handgun and refusing to leave a shopping center. The suspect was brandishing a firearm and threatening to shoot children. When police arrived, the suspect attempted to flee. Police apprehended the suspect and secured the firearm.

Overnight Thefts

Date and Time: March 14, 2021 between 12:00 am and 7:00 am

Location: Arden Hills, Vadnais Heights, and Shoreview

Deputies responded to several areas of Arden Hills, Vadnais Heights, and Shoreview on reports of theft. In Arden Hills, deputies reported six catalytic converters and \$2,000 worth of wire stolen. In Vadnais Heights, deputies took reports of \$2,000 in electronics and clothing stolen out of a vehicle, \$3,000 in tools and fishing gear stolen out of another vehicle, an attempted catalytic converter theft leaving \$500 worth of damage to a vehicle, and a vehicle being stolen. In Shoreview, a burglary of storage lockers occurred.

Stolen Vehicle Recovered

Date and Time: March 14, 2021 at 11:54 am

Location: 3000 block of Fanum Road, Vadnais Heights

Deputies responded to a 9-1-1 call for a suspicious vehicle with no license plates parked behind a business. Deputies arrived on scene and met with the caller. The caller noticed a vehicle without a license plate by the railroad tracks, where employees are not allowed to park. Deputies ran the VIN of the vehicle, which came back stolen and was also believed to be involved in a hit and run. Inside the vehicle, deputies found a driver's license of a male who has an extensive history of burglary, auto theft, possession of stolen property, fleeing police, and drugs.

Suspicious Activity

Date and Time: March 14, 2021 at 11:53 pm

Location: 1300 block of Red Fox Road, Arden Hills

Deputies responded to a 9-1-1 call for suspicious activity. The caller saw five to six males arrive in a vehicle and unloading property out of and searching a vehicle that appeared to have been involved in an accident. The suspects abandoned the crashed vehicle. Deputies found multiple BB guns and a BB Rifle. All guns were secured and the vehicle was towed.

Theft by Employee

Date and Time: March 15, 2021 at 10:10 am

Location: 800 block of County Road East, Vadnais Heights

Deputies responded to a retail store in Vadnais Heights for an employee theft report. The employee was caught stealing money from cash registers over the span of multiple weeks totaling approximately \$8,000. Deputies searched the suspect and then took them into custody. The suspect had a fake police badge, handcuffs, portable radio, etc. in their possession.

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Burglary

Date and Time: March 16, 2021 at 11:17 pm

Location: 200 block of County Road B2 East, Little Canada

Deputies responded to a 9-1-1 call for a burglary in progress. The caller believed that someone was trying to break into her residence through the patio door. The caller ran out of the home and could hear noises inside. Deputies arrived and checked the home, not finding anyone. However, the caller's purse, laptop, keys, and vehicle were stolen during the burglary.

Fleeing Police in a Motor Vehicle

Date and Time: March 17, 2021 at 12:42 am

Location: County Road D East and Labore Road, Little Canada

A deputy observed a vehicle driving 50 MPH in a 30 MPH zone. The deputy initiated a traffic stop and the vehicle refused to stop, resulting in a pursuit. The pursuit covered 24 miles and lasted 20 minutes ending in Saint Paul. The driver fled on foot from the vehicle while the passenger was taken into custody. A perimeter was set up and a police canine tracked the suspect until located and taken into custody.